Inquiry into Azaria Chamberlain’s Registered Cause of Death

Attorney-General, Delia Lawrie, has asked the Northern Territory Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages to look into the cause of death stated on Azaria Chamberlain’s death certificate.

“Lindy Chamberlain-Creighton has used the 30th anniversary of the death of Azaria Chamberlain to raise issues concerning the cause of death stated on her daughter’s certificate,” Ms Lawrie said.

“I have written to the Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages and asked him to undertake an inquiry to determine if the registered cause of death on Azaria Chamberlain’s death certificate is accurate.

“I have asked the Registrar to investigate under section 39 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act NT whether the particulars concerning the death of Azaria Chamberlain contained on the Register are accurate, taking into account the most reliable information that is currently available.

“I have also written to Mrs Chamberlain-Creighton, informing her of the inquiry into the registered cause of death on Azaria Chamberlain’s death certificate.”

The cause of death currently listed on Azaria Chamberlain’s death certificate is unknown.

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